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**Subject:** FW: ND WQS letter  
**Attachments:** ND WQS 2021 EPA Approval Letter final 11-30-21 (1) (1).pdf

Hi, Corey

Just an FYI that R8 approved ND's triennial, except for mercury (no action).

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**From:** Wirick, Holiday <wirick.holiday@epa.gov>  
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**Subject:** ND WQS letter

Hi Mario, I just wanted to let you know that yesterday we sent ND DEQ the approval letter for the state's WQS with no action on mercury at this time. We said we intend to take a separate action on the update to the chronic aquatic life criterion for mercury.

Attached is the letter FYI. I'll upload it to WATA this week.

Thanks to you and Erica for all your help with this issue.

Holly